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Prior to examination of the above application, please amend the application as follows.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 2 of this paper, and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

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Amendments to the Drawings:

The attached sheet of drawings includes changes to FIGS. 4 and 5. This sheet, which includes FIGS. 3–5, replaces the original sheet including FIGS. 3–5. FIGS. 4 and 5 have been amended for consistency between views to conform the appearance of the loop 92 and the loop 86 to the structure shown in FIG. 3.

Attachment: Replacement Sheet  
Annotated Sheet Showing Changes